## REMARKS

Attached herewith is a separate sheet showing a marked up version of the amendments made to the specification.

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## QUEUE CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR MEMORY ARBITRATION EMPLOYING SAME

## RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/219,939 filed July 20, 2000.

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## FIELD OF THE INVENTION

The present invention relates generally to shared memory computer systems and more particularly relates to systems and methods for performing memory access arbitration among transactions in an arbitration queue.

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